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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : Lis K. Renini et al.  
Application No. : 09/839,715  
Filed : April 20, 2001  
Title : SWEET MICROWAVE POPCORN PRODUCT  
AND METHOD FOR PRODUCTION THEREOF

Grp./Div : 1761  
Examiner : Not Yet Assigned

Docket No. : 42421/KMO/G460

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Post Office Box 7068  
Pasadena, CA 91109-7068  
August 21, 2001

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated **June 15, 2001** for **one** month(s) from **August 15, 2001** to **September 15, 2001**.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

| CALCULATION OF FEE  |              |              |          |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|----------|
| LENGTH OF EXTENSION | SMALL ENTITY | LARGE ENTITY | FEE      |
| WITHIN FIRST MONTH  | \$ 55        | \$110        | \$110.00 |
| WITHIN SECOND MONTH | \$195        | \$390        | \$       |
| WITHIN THIRD MONTH  | \$445        | \$890        | \$       |
| WITHIN FOURTH MONTH | \$695        | \$1390       | \$       |
| WITHIN FIFTH MONTH  | \$945        | \$1890       | \$       |

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ **110.00** to cover the cost of the extension.

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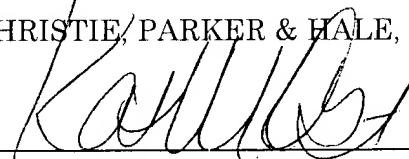
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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